Fits when ſhe culminated, the Third Fit at a Riſing Moon, and ſo on. Deaths I have kept exact Account of, but can find no one Obſervation hold true, ſome at one Time of the Tide, ſome at another.

VIII. *Account of a Book, Philippi Cluverii Introductio in univerſam Geographiam, tam Veterem quam Novam Tabulis Geographicis* XLVI. *ac Notis olim Ornata à Joanne Bunone; jam vero Locupletata Additamentis & Annotationibus Joh. Frid. Hekelij & Joh. Reiskij. in Quarto. Amſt. Typis Joannis Wolters. Londini Proſtant apud Sam. Smith & Benj Walford, in Cœmeterio D. Pauli.* 1697.

Philippus Cluverius, this Famous Geographer was born at *Dantzic*, in the Year 1580. where his Father, being Maſter of the Mint, took great Care to educate him in the beſt manner; at Fifteen Years of Age he ſent him into *Pologn*; afterwards to *Leyden* in order to ſtudy the Civil Law, for which he had no Taſte nor the leaſt Inclination, all his Paſſion running wholly upon Geographical Studies, being a Maſter in the Art of Deſigning and Surveying. *Joſeph Scaliger*, then a Profeſſor in that Univerſity, ſeeing his Natural Genius bent upon *Geography*, adviſed him to purſue it, and make it his chief Buſineſs; whereupon he reſolv'd, firſt to viſit *Lipſius*, and view all the *Netherlands*; after that he ſpent Two Years in *Hungary* and *Bohemia*, and view'd all *Germany*, *Italy*, *Sicily*, *France* and *England*, with

with a very curious and obſerving Eye, having Ten Languages at his command, he was highly courted in all Places, eſpecially at *Rome*; but retaining an old Love for the City of *Leyden*, he return'd thither, and fix'd under a generous Penſion from the *Curators*, who oblig'd him to read and teach *Geography*, of which he there publiſh'd many noble *Specimens*, as his *Com. de 3 Rheni Alveis ac Oſtiis, & de 5 Populis quondam Accolis cum Tab. Geograph*; his *Germania Antiqua*; his *Deſcriptio Italiæ Antiquæ*; as alſo the *Sicilia*, *Sardinia* and *Corſica*, all illuſtrated with Charts, and enriched with many admirable Obſervations. After his Death, in the Year 1623. *Joſeph Vorſtius* publiſh'd his *Introduction to Geography*, which *Cluverius* had drawn up before his Death, as an Abridgment of his Labours; this *Geographical Epitomy* took wonderfully in moſt Countries, being often Tranſlated and Printed in many Places, where ſeveral learned Men have thought it worth their time to Comment upon it; as *Joh. Frid. Hekelius*, *Joh. Reiskius*, and *Joh. Buno*, to whoſe excellent Notes the new Maps contained in this Volume are very well adjuſted; ſo that the preſent Edition may be look'd upon as much the moſt uſeful and exact, whether we regard the Gravings of the Charts, the Elegance of the Types, or the Fulneſs of the Annotations; part whereof were never printed before; all which put together, render the preſent Work the moſt compleat and inſtructive Body of *Geography* yet extant.